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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6858 NOTE PREPARED: Feb 19, 2004
BILL NUMBER: SB 449 BILL AMENDED: Feb 12, 2004

SUBJECT: Home- and Community-Based Services.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Server BILL STATUS: As Passed House

FIRST SPONSOR: Rep. C. Brown

FUNDS AFFECTED: GENERAL IMPACT: No Fiscal Impact

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<u>Summary of Legislation:</u> This bill allows the Health Finance Commission to study the implementation of long-term care services. The bill requires the Office of Family and Social Services to present a report to the Health Finance Commission.

Effective Date: April 1, 2004; July 1, 2004.

Explanation of State Expenditures: This bill would allow the Health Finance Commission to study the implementation of P.L. 274-2003 providing long-term care services. This provision has no fiscal impact since the Commission may already do so. During the 2003 interim, the Commission heard testimony on the implementation progress of P.L. 274-2003.

The bill also requires the Office of the Secretary of FSSA to submit a written progress report on implementation of P.L. 274-2003 to the Health Finance Commission not later than May 1, 2004. The reporting requirement should be accomplished within existing resources available to the Secretary.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

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State Agencies Affected: Family and Social Services Administration, Division of Disability, Aging, and Rehabilitative Services.

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<u>Local Agencies Affected:</u> Area Agencies on Aging.

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